

## NATIONAL RACE HALL CHEER CANDIDATES



Breckinridge Long.

Breckinridge Long of St. Louis recently resigned his post as third assistant secretary of state to seek the Democratic nomination for senator from Missouri. Long has virtually a clear field, as Governor Frederick C. Gardner has announced that he will not enter the race. At present Long is ill.

tacks made upon the president. Malice followed him to the peace table, he said, and wide spread propaganda made it imperative when he returned from Paris to "make a struggle for that which had been won at incalculable cost. This meant wreck of health, sickness for months on a bed of pain; and worse, the sickness of heart which comes from the knowledge that political adversaries are savagely destroying not merely the work of men's hands, but the world's hope of settled peace. This was the affliction—the crucifixion."

Mr. Cummings continued that in one sense "it is quite immaterial what people say about the president. Nothing we can say can add or detract from the fame that will flow down the ensuing channels of history."

He recited the Republican and Progressive platforms of 1916 as part of the record placing this country in favor of the League of Nations.

"The Republican platform contains a vague promise to establish another or a different form of association," he said. "There is no mental dishonesty more transparent than that which expresses fealty to a league of nations while opposing the only league that exists or is it ever apt to exist."

"What nations stand outside? Revolutionary Mexico, Bolshevik Russia, unspeakable Turkey and the United States."

"It is not yet too late. Let us stand with the forces of civilization. The choice is plain. It is between the Democratic party's support of the League of Nations, with its program of peace, disarmament and world fraternity, and the Republican party's platform of repudiation, provincialism, militarism and world chaos."

### Today's Events

Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury of the United States, today enters upon his 85th year. Ohio Republicans begin a two-day state convention at Columbus today for the consideration of a ticket and platform for the coming state election.

Heads of Catholic colleges and schools gather in New York City today to attend the seventeenth annual convention of the Catholic Educational association of the United States.

Bruce R. Campbell, secretary and treasurer of the Struthers Savings & Banking Co., accused of alleged defalcations to the extent of \$600,000, is arranged for trial today at Youngstown, Ohio.

**A REFRESHING RIVER TRIP**  
On the Streckfus line's new steamer Capitol, Saturday, July 3. The newest excursion steamer on the river. Daylight trip from Rock Island to Muscatine at 10:30 a. m. Fare (including war tax), adults 75c, children 50c.

**TOMORROW LAST DAY.**  
Tomorrow is the last day that Dr. Scholl's foot expert will be at Forsberg's Walk-Over Boot Shop, 413 Fifth street, Moline, giving examination and advice free. Everybody invited.

**GETS DEGREE IN LAW AT AGE 100**

Schenectady, N. Y.—Washington Biswell, 100, is perhaps America's oldest lawyer. He received the degree of doctor of laws from Union college here at its 124th commencement. He is the oldest alumnus, having graduated in the class of 1864. Dr. Biswell lives at Great Barrington, Mass.—He is a Civil War veteran.

WASHINGTON BISSELL

Senator Wilson's two appeals before congress for legislation dealing with profiteering, reduction of taxation, and the widows and orphans' benefits were ignored, he declared, and "after a year of sterile waste our country has neither peace nor reconstruction."

"The South, particularly, an ob-

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velopment meant that McAdoo, whose supporters hitherto had planned to keep him in the background for several ballots, now would be an active contender from the start and that in consequence the convention, like that of the Republicans at Chicago, would have a "big three" running close together on the opening roll call. The possibility of such a development brought renewed claims of consistent gains from the supporters of Palmer and Cox and set the dark horses championing impatiently as they recalled what happened to the big three at Chicago.

**Taken at Face Value.**  
The Palmer and Cox managers sought to discount the apparent significance of the McAdoo announcement which was made late last night by National Committee-man Love of Texas, without saying whether he had any direct authorization from Mr. McAdoo. It was apparent, however, that many of the McAdoo workers, who have been canvassing for votes without much organization or system, accepted the statement of Mr. Love at its face value.

Among the best informed politicians the general opinion was that it still was too early to definitely forecast what would happen. They suggested that the Love statement only put the technical situation back where it was when Mr. McAdoo announced recently that he did not care to be considered a candidate. At that time both Attorney General Palmer and Governor Cox were active candidates and their supporters were claiming victory.

In the pre-convention scramble for delegates, many of those who had been McAdoo supporters promised to vote for other candidates, but the McAdoo men declared today that practically everyone of these could be brought back into the fold.

There was frequent mention of Secretary Meredith of the agricultural department as a possible running mate for McAdoo. Mr. Meredith's presidential headquarters were closed Saturday when he announced he was in no sense a candidate.

**Wet-Dry Fight Imminent.**

Discussion of candidates manifestly still was subordinate in the minds of many of the delegates, to the prohibition issue, and they regarded the inevitable preliminaries of the opening session with impatience as they waited for the time when the differences of the wets and dries could be threshed out. It seemed a foregone conclusion that the question would be settled only after a stubborn fight on the floor, bringing into play the best oratorical and strategical firework of a typical Democratic convention. The League of Nations and the Irish question also threatened to get out of the control of the resolutions committee and shower the convention floor with pyrotechnics. There were many expressions of hope, however, that both might be threshed out to a satisfactory conclusion behind the committee doors.

In the organizations of the resolutions committee, a fight was brewing though it was not apparent how serious it might become. Senator Glass of Virginia, chosen by the administration as its candidate for committee chairman, was declared by his friends to be certain of election though a movement against him had been started by western delegates.

**Opponent, Senator Walsh.**  
The candidate of the anti-Glass element was Senator Walsh of Montana, who supported the peace treaty with the Republican reservations. Those favoring him, declared their fight was not an anti-administration movement and was based primarily on the belief that the northwest had not been accorded proper recognition in the convention. No one from that section, they declared, was on the slate of convention officials or was prominently mentioned for either the presidency or the vice presidency.

Election of the resolution committee chairman was expected late in the day and at the same time the newly formed credentials committee was to take up the Georgia and Missouri contests while the rules committee was determining on a list of permanent officers for the convention. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, had been selected by the administration group for the permanent chairmanship and his endorsement by the committee seemed assured.

Contrary to the expectations of many delegates, William J. Bryan was having little to say about the permanent organization of the convention and its committee. Busy with his fight to "put a dry plank into the platform" he apparently was interposing no active opposition to the administration organization program, although he was accredited with lending encouragement to the candidacy of Senator Walsh for the resolution chairmanship.

**Bryan Regular Splinter.**  
As in more than one previous national convention, Mr. Bryan was looked upon as an unknown quantity which might turn out to be the deciding factor in almost any of the political questions now confronting the party leaders. No one professed to know what new and unexpected element he might bring into play at the critical time.

J. Bruce Kremer of Montana, vice chairman of the national committee, had been selected to call today's session to order and to present Chairman Cummings. At the conclusion of the keynote address of Mr. Cummings, all that remained to complete the day's program was to approve the selections for the various committee members already made by the state delegations.



# BLUE BIRD SPECIALS

FOR TOMORROW  
and WEDNESDAY A. M.  
At "The Big Store on the Corner"

STORE CLOSÉS  
Wednesday at Noon

CO-WORKERS'  
ANNUAL OUTING  
Watch Tower Park

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OR WEDNESDAY  
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### Porch Swings

Fumed oak extra smooth finish, all complete with chains and hooks, a big special at these prices:

\$15.00 swings, 6 ft. wide at .....\$9.50  
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\$ 7.50 swings, 4 ft. wide at .....\$5.50  
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### Tennis Oxfords, 79c

Women's white canvas tennis oxfords of a well known make, sizes 3 to 8. An exceptional value.

### Silk Oxford Laces 29c

Black, white, cordovan and brown silk oxford laces for men's, women's and children's low cut shoes.

### 25c Talcums 10c

Page's Corylopsis, Wisteria, Rose, Borated baby talc, and Violet talcums. Large size cans. Limit 2 to a customer.

### 50c Mavis Face Powder 35c

The irresistible Mavis odor in a face powder that has proven extremely popular. This is the same powder that sells most everywhere at the regular price, 50c.

### 10c Laces the Yard 3c

Vals, torchon and filet laces 1/2 to 2 inches wide. Edges and insertions in this lot. Not more than 20 yards to a customer, 5c, 8c and 10c values.

### 15c Embroideries 7c

Embroidered edges and insertions, 1 to 7 inch widths included in this lot. Values 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c. Limit 10 yards to a purchaser.

### Men's Paragon Garters 39c

Non-binding, no metal parts can touch you. Offered in all the popular colors. One pair to a customer.

### \$1.65 Women's Unionsuits \$1.29

Women's athletic unionsuits in barred or plain quality nainsook. Flesh or white. Regular price \$1.65. Complete range of sizes.

### \$1.25 Women's Unionsuits 69c

Women's fine cotton unionsuits with shell trimmed or cuff knee tailored or bodice tops in flesh or white. Regular \$1.25 values. A remarkable value at 69c.

### \$1.50 Women's Silk Hose 69c

Women's silk and fibre silk hose, silk lisle, elastic garter welt, linen heels and toes, in all of the new colors. Regular price \$1.50.

### Sink Strainers, 25c

White enamel sink strainers, 38c value 25c.

### Vanta Tape, 2 for 25c

For Blue Bird day, Vanta twistless tape in white, pink and blue, will not kink, curl, twist or shrink, regular 18c value. Limit four to customer.



The Big Store on the Corner

### 75c Children's Silk Lisle Hose 59c

Children's fine mercerized lisle hose, double linen heels, toes and knee. Black and white only. Regular price is 75c.

### 40 in. White Voiles, 37 1/2c

40 inches wide, plain white voile for summer dresses, waists, smocks and neckwear. The regular price is 58c the yard.

### 36 in. Long Cloth, 32c Yd.

Fine quality long cloth for lingerie wear, 36 inches wide and our regular 45c grade. Reduced in price for Blue-Bird special.

### 36 in. Sheeting, 29c the Yard

Unbleached sheeting of dependable quality. This grade should retail at 45c the yard. As a Blue Bird special reduced to 29c.

### 72x90 Sheets, \$1.75

A big special for Blue Bird days, 72 by 90 inch bleached sheets. These are good values at the regular price of \$2.25.

### 18x36 in. Bath Towels, 49c

"Ki-ki" Turkish bath towels, size 18 by 36 inches, hemmed and ready for use. Large, thick and thirsty. These are regular 75c towels.

### American Flag Sets, 98c

Large size, 3x5 ft., American flag with printed stars and stripes. Complete with pole, halyards and holder. Our \$1.75 value. Buy tomorrow for the Fourth. Limit, two to customer.

### Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 14c

Women's white lawn handkerchiefs with pretty assorted corner designs, neatly embroidered with white silk floss, our regular 19c values.

### Stamped Pillow Cases, \$1.59

Five dozen special value in stamped ready-for-embroidery cases with hem-stitched edges for crochet, extra heavy long cloth and are our regular \$2.25 values.

### Girls' Coverall Aprons, 89c

Girls' coverall aprons in plaid percale, light colors only, with rick rack trimmed collar and sleeves. Regular \$1.25 values, in sizes 6 to 14 years.

### Muslin Drawers, 35c, 3 for \$1.00

Girls' heavy quality muslin drawers in bloomer style, with elastic at knee, regular value is 50c to 65c in sizes from 6 to 14 years. Limit, three to a purchaser.

### Women's Corsets, \$1.29

15 dozen Warner's rust proof corsets in medium bust, short hip style, made from fine quality pink batiste, regular \$1.50, special for Blue Bird days.

### Georgette Blouses, \$3.15

10 dozen fine quality georgette blouses, short sleeve models, in colors of Bermuda, blue, dawn, peach bloom, Adriatic, black, navy, white and flesh, heavily embroidered and braided styles. Our \$5.00 blouses for \$3.15.

### Crepe Gowns, \$2.45

A selection of five pretty new models in women's crepe slip-over gowns, choice of white and pink and pink with white and blue and white combination, regular \$3.50 value.

### Coverall Aprons, \$1.45

For Blue Bird special we have selected a special lot of women's coverall aprons in light and dark percale with rick rack and bias taped trimming, regular \$2.25 values.

### Wash Skirts, \$5.95

One special lot of plain tailored wash satin skirts with detachable belt and two side pockets, regular \$7.50 values.

### Kimonas, \$1.00

Only 18 striped poplin kimonas, heavy quality with white silk loops, regular \$1.75 values. Not more than one to a customer at this extremely low price.

### Muslin Gowns, \$1.69

Fine quality white nainsook gowns with deep yoke of val lace and embroidered Swiss, slip-over style, wing sleeve trimmed with val lace to match yoke, regular \$2.75 value.

### Middy Blouses, \$1.29

5 dozen special purchase of white jean middy blouses, with pockets and sailor collar to match, regular \$2.25 value.

### Preserving Kettles, \$1.98

"Lifetime" aluminum preserving kettles, 6 quart size, \$2.65 values.

### Basement Specials

25c Sani-Flush .....18c

38c Ideal bread toasters 25c

15c Brillo, cleans, scours and polishes aluminum ware, special .....10c

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